#### What is this?

- Updated City Code about unsheltered camping was approved by the Portland City Council.
- Took effect on July 7th, 2023.
- This is not a 'sit and lie' policy and only regulates camping at campsites.



## Alternative Shelter Sites

- No walk-ins are allowed at City of Portland-run Safe Rest Village (SRV) and Temporary Alternative Shelter Site (TASS) locations.
- Referrals to these sites are only made through Citypartnered outreach workers.

Scan the QR code below for a detailed map, services directory, and more information.

# Information on Unsheltered Camping Policies

The City of Portland updated City Code to change camping rules.



We understand that changes to camping rules may take some getting used to.

Please keep this information.



This guide will support those who are currently homeless by providing an overview of these changes with resources.

### **Does this** impact me?

- If you have access to available housing or shelter, you cannot camp in Portland.
- If you do **not** have access to available housing or shelter, then you may camp if you follow the new camping rules.

#### Time

- Camping on public property is not allowed from 8am to 8pm.
- At 8am, you **must** take apart your campsite until 8pm.
- Camping is allowed between the hours of 8pm and 8am only if individuals have no other access to housing or shelter.

#### **Enforcement**

- Outreach teams will engage in education and connection to services.
- Phased-in approach, with enforcement beginning in fall 2023.
- Violators will receive 2 initial warnings (and information on the updated rules).
- The 3rd violation could result in fines or jail time,
  - The District Attorney's office is focused on connection to services.

#### **Camping Rules:**

No camping on public property (8am to 8pm).





No gas heaters or fires.

No tents blocking building entries or exits.





No garbage or hazardous waste.

No camping within 250 feet of school, childcare center or City shelter site.



Camps cannot damage environment, especially natural areas.

No camping in City Parks



No camping on pedestrian walkways.

#### **Additional Resources**

- Call 211
- https://rosecityresource.streetroots.org
- https://johs.us/emergency-shelters/list-of-shelters
- https://www.multco.us/behavioral-health-resource-center

